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# State Special Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme

Tamil Nadu gives a state-funded post-matric scholarship, equal to the Union scheme, to students of the Adi Dravidar, Tribal and Christian Adi Dravidar communities who cannot get the Union scholarship.

## What you may get

The state scholarship is on par with the Union Government's Post-Matric Scholarship and is paid straight into the student's bank account. The Directorate pages give no separate rate table, so the amounts follow the Union scheme for the course.

## Who it is for

Students from the Adi Dravidar, Tribal and Christian Adi Dravidar communities who study after Class X, cannot receive the Union post-matric scholarship and have family income up to Rs 2.50 lakh.

## Main conditions

- The student belongs to the Adi Dravidar, Tribal or Christian Adi Dravidar community.
- The student cannot take the benefit of the Union Government's Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme.
- The parent or guardian's annual income should not go above Rs 2.50 lakh.
- The student is studying a course above Class X.

## Documents

- Community Certificate
- Income Certificate
- Previous year mark sheet
- Bonafide certificate from the institution
- Bank passbook copy
- Aadhaar card

## How to apply

1. Apply online through the Postmatric Scholarship Portal that the Directorate's scheme page links to.
2. Keep the documents ready: community certificate, income certificate, last year's mark sheet, bonafide certificate, bank passbook copy and Aadhaar card.
3. For help, meet the headmaster or college principal, the District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, the Project Officer (Tribal Welfare), or the Directorate offices in Chennai named on the page.

## Status

Active

**Official source:** https://www.tnadw.tn.gov.in/scholarships/state-special-postmatric
**Official application:** https://umisdashboard.tnega.org/
**Official PDF:** https://cms.tn.gov.in/cms_migrated/document/docfiles/sj_e_pn_2026_27.pdf
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